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### Trade Policy Monitoring

## Affirmative Injury Ruling on U.S. Frozen Pizza 2004

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**Report Highlights:**

On March 2, 2004 the Canadian International Trade Tribunal ruled that imports of uncooked frozen self-rising pizza from the United States have caused injury or are threatening to cause injury to the domestic industry in Canada. Canada's Border Services Agency will make a preliminary determination of dumping by April 1, 2004 and anti-dumping duties could be imposed.

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**Summary:**

On March 2, 2004 the Canadian International Trade Tribunal made a preliminary determination that imports of uncooked frozen self-rising pizza from the United States have caused injury or are threatening to cause injury to the domestic industry in Canada. Canada's Border Services Agency will make a preliminary determination of dumping by April 1, 2004 and anti-dumping duties could be imposed.

**Background:**

On January 2, 2004, the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) announced the initiation of an investigation into the alleged injurious dumping of frozen self-rising pizza from the United States. The goods are described as prepared uncooked frozen pizza products containing uncooked self-rising dough and cooked and/or uncooked toppings which typically may include processed vegetables and/or meats and/or poultry and/or cheeses and/or a prepared sauce, put up for retail sale, originating in or exported from the United States of America. The CBSA started the investigation after receiving a complaint filed by McCain Foods Limited of Florenceville, New Brunswick. The Canadian company alleged that the dumping of the goods in question is harming Canadian production by causing price erosion, price suppression and lost sales. See CA4001 for further background information.

Frozen self-rising pizza is classified under the following Harmonized System classification numbers:

1901.20.13.20

1901.20.15.20

**Additional Information:**

The Canadian International Trade Tribunal's statement of reasons on the injury ruling will be issued within 15 days. The CITT website is: [www.citt.gc.ca](http://www.citt.gc.ca)

The Canada Border Services Agency's statement of reasons for the original ruling initiating the anti-dumping investigation is available on the CBSA website at:

<http://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/sima/sor-list-e.html>

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